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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
MASAO OKADA et al.)
Application No.: 09/537,288)
Filed: March 29, 2000)
For: ANIMATION DISPLAY)
APPARATUS, ARCADE)
GAME MACHINE, CONTROL)
METHOD AND APPARATUS)
THEREOF, AND STORAGE)
MEDIUM)
Examiner: J. Hotaling
Group Art Unit: 3713
October 20, 2003

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P.O. Box 1450
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PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for
response to the Office Action dated June 19, 2003 for one month from September 19, 2003
to Monday, October 20, 2003.

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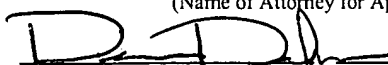
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(Name of Attorney for Applicant)


Signature
October 20, 2003
Date of Signature

Submitted herewith is a check for \$110.00 to cover the fee for the extension under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17. Any deficiency in or overpayment of this fee should be charged or credited to Deposit Account 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this petition is enclosed.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Costa Mesa, CA office at (714) 540-8700. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our below-listed address.

Respectfully submitted,


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